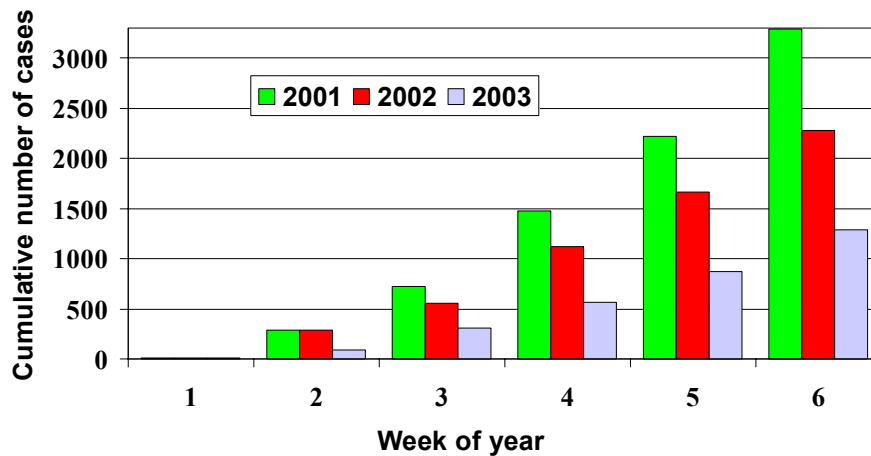




**Cumulative number of suspected measles/rubella cases reported in the Americas by week of rash onset
Weeks 1-6 of 2001, 2002 & 2003**



**Table No. 1
Classification of Suspected Measles & Rubella Cases for the Period between Weeks 01-06, 2003**

Subregion and Country	Reported Cases 2003		Measles Confirmed 2003		Measles Confirmed 2002		Year/Week of Last Confir. Case	Rubella Confirmed 2003			Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2003		
	Total	Under Inv.	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Week 1-6		Total	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Dengue	Other
AND													
BOL	45	15	0	0	0	0	0	00/40	0	1	1	0	29
COL	31	7	0	0	0	2	141**	02/37	0	1	1	0	23
ECU	38	4	0	0	0	0	0	01/14	2	4	6	2	26
PER	61	7	0	0	0	0	0	00/13	0	11	11	0	43
VEN	16	1	0	0	0	464	2392	02/47	0	0	0	0	15
BRA	788	498	0	0	0	0	1*	02/11	0	16	16	...	...
CAP													
COR	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	99/23	...	...	...	...	...
ELS	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	01/19	0	0	0	2	18
GUT	19	4	0	0	0	0	0	98/05	0	1	1	0	14
HON	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	97/29	0	0	0	1	24
NIC	34	5	0	0	0	0	0	94/14	0	0	0	3	26
PAN	33	2	0	0	0	0	0	95/49	0	0	0	0	31
CAR	16	2	0	0	0	0	0	98/23	0	0	0	0	14
LAC													
CUB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	93/27	0	0	0	0	0
DOR	69	1	0	0	0	0	0	01/23	0	0	0	1	67
FGU	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
HAI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	01/39	0	0	0	0	0
MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
MEX	48	30	0	0	0	0	0	01/16	0	0	0	0	18
NOA													
CAN	1	...	0	1	1	1	6*	03/05	...	...	...	...	...
USA	1	...	0	1	1	0	42*†	03/04	0	0	0	...	...
SOC													
ARG	20	12	0	0	0	0	0	00/11	...	...	...	...	...
CHI	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	99/52	0	0	0	0	8
PAR	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	98/44	0	0	0	0	4
URU	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	99/03	0	0	0	0	16
Total	1288	590	0	2	2	467	2582	---	2	34	36	9	377

... No report received during 2003 * Due to importation ** Of which 53 cases are imported †Provisional



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Table No. 2
Measles Suspected Cases Under Investigation for the Period between Weeks 01-06, 2003

Region	Country	Pending cases from 2002	Cumulative 2003	Week of Rash Onset							Unknown
				1	2	3	4	5	6		
AND	BOL	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	
	COL	29	3	0	1	0	1	0	0		
	ECU	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	3		
	PER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	VEN	10	1	0	0	1	0	0	0		
BRA	BRA	286	126	15	35	28	22	26	...		
CAP	COR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	ELS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	GUT	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	2		
	HON	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	NIC	0	3	0	0	0	1	2	0		
	PAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	CAR	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0		
	LAC	CUB	222	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		DOR	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
		FGU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
GUA		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
HAI		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
MAR		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
PUR		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
MEX		MEX	197	30	4	8	12	3	2	1	
NOA		CAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	SOC	ARG	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
SOC	CHI	3	10	0	2	3	2	0	2	1	
	PAR	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1		
	URU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Total	748	187	21	47	44	29	35	9		2

... No report received through the Measles Elimination Surveillance System

Table No. 3
Measles Surveillance Indicators for the Period between Weeks 01-06, 2003

Region	Country	% Sites Reporting Weekly	% Cases Timely Home Visit	% Cases Adequate Sample	% Lab Received <=5 days	% Lab Result <=4 days	% Cases Discarded by Lab	Number of Active Municipalities	
AND	BOL	...	100	100	100	100	100	0	
	COL	85	30	78	35	80	100	0	
	ECU	90	55	100	90	86	100	0	
	PER	...	100	100	75	100	100	0	
	VEN	72	100	100	75	88	100	1	
BRA CAP	BRA	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	COR	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	ELS	9	67	100	87	80	100	0	
	GUT	...	100	100	86	93	100	0	
	HON	93	96	100	76	100	100	0	
	NIC	100	94	100	75	63	100	0	
	PAN	79	50	86	57	100	100	0	
	CAR	100	100	85	18	100	100	0	
	LAC	CUB	98	0
		DOR	92	100	97	64	90	100	0
FGU		...	...	...	...	...	...	0
GUA		...	...	...	...	...	...	0
HAI		40	...	...	...	...	...	0
MAR		...	...	...	...	...	...	0
PUR		...	...	...	...	...	...	0
MEX		MEX	97	100	100	52	39	100	0
NOA		CAN
		USA
	SOC	ARG	...	...	...	...	...	0
SOC	CHI	100	13	94	69	88	100	0	
	PAR	97	67	67	75	100	100	0	
	URU	84	85	100	89	100	92	0	
	Total and Average	84	77	95	69	89	100	1	

... No report received during 2003